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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 8, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 14-23, 31-35, 41 and 44 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

24. (Amended) A method for performing a task in a communication device, comprising:  
displaying, in a first user interface on a housing having a second user interface on a same side as the first user interface, a menu having a plurality of items and a highlight bar;  
moving said highlight bar to select an item in response to a user input to an input device coupled to said display enabling four-way movement of said highlight bar; and  
executing a task in response to said selected item, wherein said input device comprises a first part positioned on said same side of said housing as said first user interface, said user input

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